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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
9 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**  
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11 FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 ASCEND CAPVENTURES INC., also  
15 doing business as Ascend Ecom LLC;  
16 Ascend Ecomm LLC; ACV; ACV  
17 Partners; Accelerated Ecommerce  
18 Ventures; Ascend Distribution LLC;  
19 Ethix Capital; and ACV Nexus, a  
20 Wyoming close corporation profit  
21 corporation,  
22 ASCEND ECOMMERCE INC., also  
23 doing business as Ascend Ecom LLC, a  
24 Wyoming close corporation profit  
25 corporation,  
26 ASCEND ADMINISTRATION INC., a  
27 California general stock corporation,  
28 ASCEND ECOM LLC, a Wyoming  
limited liability company,  
ASCEND DISTRIBUTION LLC, a  
Texas limited liability company,  
WILLIAM MICHAEL BASTA,  
individually and as officer and/or owner  
of Ascend Ecom LLC, Ascend  
Capventures Inc., Ascend Ecommerce

Case No. 2:24-cv-07660-SPG-JPR


**ORDER GRANTING  
CONTINUANCE OF  
PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION  
HEARING AND EXTENSION OF  
TRO [ECF NO. 33]**

1 Inc., Ascend Administration Inc., Ascend  
2 Distribution LLC, and  
3 JEREMY KENNETH LEUNG,  
4 individually and as officer and/or owner  
5 of Ascend Ecom LLC, Ascend  
6 Capventures Inc., Ascend Ecommerce  
7 Inc., Ascend Administration Inc., and  
8 Ascend Distribution LLC,  
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10 Defendants.

11 The Court has considered the parties' Joint Stipulation to a continuance of the  
12 September 25, 2024, "Preliminary Injunction Hearing Date and extension of the TRO"  
13 (ECF No. 33 ("Stipulation")). Pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 65(b)(2),  
14 the Court, noting Defendants' consent to the TRO extension, hereby **GRANTS** the  
15 Stipulation. The Preliminary Injunction Hearing Date is continued to Wednesday,  
16 October 9, 2024 at 3:00 p.m., and the Temporary Restraining Order (ECF No. 30) is  
17 extended to the same date.

18 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

19 DATED: September 24, 2024

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22 HON. SHERILYN PEACE GARNETT  
23 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
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